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139	6-9-50	FROM PH to HQ - (TELETYPE) transmit COPY	2	-	Bufile 100-365040
139	6-9-50	COPY FROM PH to HQ (TELETYPE)	2	-	Bufile 100-365040
140	6-12-50	FROM N.Y. to HQ (TELETYPE) 291/10-19-78 PH AL + Supra map	1	-	See Bufile 65-57449-517 291/10-19-78
141	6-12-50	FROM WFO to HQ (Report) 291/9-25-78	6	-	See Bu ^{FILE} 100-365040-60 291/9-25-78
141	6-12-50	COPY FROM WFO to HQ (Report) 291/9-25-78	6	-	See Bu ^{FILE} 100-365040-60 291/9-25-78
141	6-12-50	COPY FROM WFO to HQ (Report) 291/9-25-78	6	-	See Bu-File 100-365040-60 291/9-25-78
142	6-12-50	TELETYPE FROM N.Y. to HQ	1	-	See NY File 65-15384
143	6-13-50	NY Letter To HQ 291/10-7-78	2	-	See Bufile 100-365040-76 291/10-7-78
144	6-12-50	FROM PH to HQ (TELETYPE) transmit COPY	6	-	See NY File 65-15384
145	6-12-50	FROM PH to HQ (Report)	8	-	Bufile 100-365040
145	6-12-50	FROM PH to HQ (Report) COPY	8	-	Bufile 100-365040
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145A	6-12-50	N.Y. to AL (letter)	6	-	See N.Y. 65-15324
146	6-13-50	FROM PH to HA (teletype) TRANSMIT	18	-	BUfile 100-365040
146	6-13-50	FROM PH to HA (teletype) TRANSMIT	18	-	BUfile 100-365040
147	6-14-50	FROM N.Y. to HA (teletype) TRANSMIT	2	-	BUfile 100-365040
147	6-13-50	FROM N.Y. to HA (teletype) (typed copy)	2	-	See N.Y. File 65-15324
148	6-13-50	FROM PH to HA ^{N.Y.} (teletype) (TRANSMIT COPY) 291/9-27-78	2	-	BUfile 100-365040-171
148	6-13-50	FROM PH to HA ^{N.Y.} (teletype) TRANSMIT COPY 291/9-27-78	2	-	BUfile 100-365040-171
149	6-14-50	FROM N.Y. to HA (teletype)	2	-	BUfile 100-365040
149	6-13-50	FROM N.Y. to HA (teletype)	2	2	
149	6-13-50	FROM N.Y. to HA (teletype) typed copy	2	-	See N.Y. File 65-15324
150	6/13/50	FROM NY to various field offices (teletype) (transmittal process) 291/10-20-78, copied	5	4	1 page BUfile 100-365040 3 dup
150	6-13-50	FROM N.Y. to HA (teletype) BA, BO, CE, CI, CZ, DE, HO, LA MM, MP, SE, + WFO (typed copy) process - 291/10-20-78	1	2	see N.Y. FILE 65-15324 OUP

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151	6-13-50	FROM N.Y. TO HQ (tel+type) WFO + PH 291/9-25-78	1	—	291/9-25-78 Bufile 100-365040-130
151	6-13-50	FROM N.Y. TO HQ (tel+type) (typed copy) WFO + PH 291/9-25-78	1	—	291/9-25-78 Bufile 100-365040-130
152	6-13-50	FROM N.Y. TO NK (tel+type)	1	1	
152	6-13-50	FROM N.Y. TO NK (tel+type) typed copy	1	—	See N.Y. File 65-15324
153	6-13-50	FROM N.Y. TO HQ (tel+type)	2	—	See Bufile 100-365040-76 291/10-7-78 Same as NY 100-95068-743
154	6-14-50	FROM NK TO HQ (tel+type)	2	—	Bufile 100-365040
154	6-14-50	FROM NK TO HQ (tel+type) (copy)	2	—	Bufile 100-365040
155	6-14-50	FROM HQ TO N.Y. (tel+type) + PH 291/9-25-78	1	—	291/9-25-78 Bufile 100-365040-66
155	6-14-50	FROM HQ TO N.Y. (tel+type) (copy) + PH 291/9-25-78	1	—	291/9-25-78 Bufile 100-365040-66
156	6-14-50	FROM WFO TO N.Y. (tel+type) copy + PH 291/9-25-78	3	—	291/9-25-78 Bufile 100-365040-79
156	6-14-50	FROM WFO TO N.Y. (tel+type) + PH 291/9-25-78	3	—	291/9-25-78 Bufile 100-365040-79
157	6-14-50	FROM NH TO HQ (tel+type)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040

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157	6-14-50	FROM NY to HQ (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
158	6-14-50	FROM NY to OC (teletype) (COPY)	1	1	
158	6-14-50	FROM NY to HQ (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
158	6-14-50	FROM NY to HQ (teletype) (typed copy)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
159	6-15-50	FROM MP to HQ (teletype) (copy)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
159	6-15-50	FROM MP to HQ (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
160	6-15-50	FROM OC to NY (teletype) (copy)	1	1	2
160	6-15-50	FROM OC to NY (teletype)	1	1	
161	6-15-50	FROM PH to HQ (teletype) (copy) + NY 291/9-27-78	2	—	291/9-27-78 Bufile 100-365040-172
161	6-15-50	FROM PH to HQ (teletype) + NY 291/9-27-78	2	—	291/9-27-78 Bufile 100-365040-172
162	6-15-50	FROM DE to HQ (teletype) (copy)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
162	6-15-50	FROM DE to HQ (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040

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163	6-15-50	MN to HA (teletype) COPY	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
163	6-15-50	MN to HA (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
164	6-15-50	NY ASAC Memo to file	1	1	
165	6-15-50	Supra R.A. Teletype to HQ, NY, AL + PH 291/9-25-78	1	—	Bufile 100-365040-87
165	6-15-50	Supra R.A. Teletype to HQ, NY, AL + PH COPY 291/9-25-78	1	—	Bufile 100-365040-87
166	6-15-50	CE to NY (teletype)	1	1	
166	6-15-50	CE to NY (teletype) (COPY)	1	1	Z
167	6-15-50	PH to HQ + (teletype) (COPY) NY 291/9-25-78	1	—	Bufile 100-365040-170
167	6-15-50	PH to HQ + (teletype) NY 291/9-25-78	1	—	Bufile 100-365040-170
168	6-15-50	LA to HA (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
168	6-15-50	LA to HA (teletype) (COPY)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
169	6-15-50	NY to AA (teletype)	1	1	

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169	6-15-50	NY to HQ (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
169	6-15-50	NY to HQ (teletype) (typed copy)	1	—	See NY File 65-15324
170	6-15-50	NY to Postmaster (Letter)	1	1	
171	6-15-50	NY to Postmaster (Letter)	1	1	
172	6-15-50	NY to HQ (Report)	2	—	291/9-25-78 See Bu File 100-365040-67
172	6-15-50	MP to HQ (Report) (copy)	2	—	291/9-25-78 See Bu File 100-365040-67
172	6-15-50	MP to HQ (Report) (copy)	2	—	291/9-25-78 See Bu File 100-365040-67
172	6-15-50	MP to HQ (Report) (copy)	2	—	291/9-25-78 See Bu File 100-365040-67
173	6-16-50	SAC Memo to File	1	—	291/10-19-78 See NY 65-15324-346
174	6-16-50	NY to HQ ^{PH} (teletype) 291/10-7-78 (transmittal copy)	3	—	291/10-7-78 See Bufile 100-365040-104
174	6-16-50	NY to HQ ^{PH} (teletype) (typed copy) 291/10-7-78	3	—	291/10-7-78 See Bufile 100-365040-104
175	6-16-50	PH to HQ (teletype)	1	—	NY 65-15324

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176	6-16-50	HO to N.Y. (teletype)	1	1	
176	6-16-50	HO to N.Y. (teletype) (copy)	1	1	I
177	6-16-50	PH to HQ ^{NY} (teletype) (copy) 291/9-25-78	5	—	291/9-25-78 Bufile 100-365040-173
177	6-16-50	PH to HQ ^{NY} (teletype) (copy) 291/9-25-78	5	—	291/9-25-78 Bufile 100-365040-173
178	6-16-50	SE to HQ (teletype) (copy)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
178	6-16-50	SE to HQ (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
179	6-16-50	LA to HQ (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
179	6-16-50	LA to HQ (teletype) (copy)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
180	6-16-50	ASAC MEMO to File	1	1	
180	6-16-50	ASAC MEMO to File (copy)	1	1	I
181	6-16-50	SA MEMO to File	1	—	291/10-19-78 NY 65-15324-350
181	6-16-50	SA MEMO to File	1	—	291/10-19-78 NY 65-15324-350

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182	6-16-50	NK to HQ (Report) (copy)	13	-	Bufile 100-365040
182	6-16-50	NK to HQ (Report) (copy)	13	-	Bufile 100-365040
182	6-16-50	NK to HQ (Report)	13	-	Bufile 100-365040
183	6-17-50	PH to HQ NY + NK (teletype) 291/9-20-78	2	-	Bufile 100-365040-146 291/9-20-78
183	6-17-50	PH to HQ NY (teletype) (copy) 291/9-20-78	2	-	Bufile 100-365040-146 291/9-20-78
184	6-17-50	PH to HQ (teletype)	1	-	Bufile 100-365040
184	6-17-50	PH to HQ (teletype) (copy)	1	-	Bufile 100-365040
185	6-17-50	NY to HQ (teletype)	1	-	Bufile 100-365040
185	6-17-50	NY to HQ (teletype) (typed copy)	1	-	Bufile 100-365040
186	6-17-50	SA MEMO TO FILE	1	1	
186	6-17-50	SA MEMO TO FILE copy	1	1	7
187	6-17-50	BA teletype to HQ + NY (transmittal) 291/10-23-78	1	-	Bufile 100-365040-95 291/10-23-78

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187	6-17-50	BA teletype to HQ + NY (copy) 39/10-33-78	1	-	39/10-33-78 Bufile 100-365040-95
188	6-18-50	NK to HQ (teletype) (copy)	5	-	Bufile 100-365040
188	6-18-50	NK to HQ (teletype)	5	-	Bufile 100-365040
189	6-18-50	PH to HQ (teletype) (copy)	2	-	Bufile 100-365040
189	6-18-50	PH to HQ (teletype)	2	-	Bufile 100-365040
190	6-18-50	CE to NY (teletype)	1	1	
190	6-18-50	CE to NY (teletype) (copy)	1	1	I
191	6-19-50	SE to HQ (teletype)	1	-	Bufile 100-365040
191	6-19-50	SE to HQ (teletype) (copy)	1	-	Bufile 100-365040
192	6-19-50	NY to HQ (letter)	5	5	
193	6-19-50	NY to HQ (teletype)	1	-	Bufile 100-365040
193	6-19-50	NY to HQ (teletype) (typed copy)	1	-	Bufile 100-365040

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194	6-19-50	NY to HQ (Letter)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
195	6-19-50	HQ to WFO (letter)	1	—	291/9-27-78 Bufile 100-365040-130
195	6-19-50	HQ to WFO (letter)	1	—	291/9-27-78 Bufile 100-365040-130
196	6-20-50	CI to HQ (Letter)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
196	6-20-50	CI to HQ (Letter)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
197	6-20-50	PH to HQ (teletype) (copy)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
197	6-20-50	PH to HQ (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
198	6-20-50	PH to HQ (teletype)	7	—	Bufile 100-365040
199	6-20-50	LETTER FROM ANOTHER GOVT AGENCY	1	+	REFERRED TO ANOTHER AGENCY
200	6-21-50	PH to HQ (teletype)	4	—	Bufile 100-365040
201	6-21-50	NY to HQ (teletype)	2	—	Bufile 100-365040
201	6-21-50	NY to HQ (teletype) (typed copy)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040

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202	591/9-25-78 6-21-50	CE to HQ (Report) (copy)	2	—	291/9-25-78 Bufile 100-365040-120
202	591/9-25-78 6-21-50	CE to HQ (Report)	2	—	291/9-25-78 Bufile 100-365040-120
202 A	6-21-50	PH to HQ (Letter)	2	—	Bufile 100-365040
203	6-22-50	N.Y. to PH (teletype)	1	1	
203	6-22-50	N.Y. to PH (teletype) (typed copy)	1	—	Ny 65-15324
204	6-22-50	PH to HQ (teletype)	4	—	Bufile 100-365040
205	6-22-50	LA to HQ (letter)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
206	6-22-50	N.Y. to HQ (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
206	6-22-50	N.Y. to HQ (teletype) (typed copy)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
207	6-23-50	HQ to N.Y. (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
207	6-23-50	HQ to N.Y. (teletype) (copy)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
208	6-23-50	PH to N.Y. (teletype) (copy)	1	1	2

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209	6-23-50	NY to HA (Letter)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
210	6-23-50	NY to HA (teletype)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
210	6-23-50	NY to AL (teletype)	1	1	
210	6-23-50	NY to HA (teletype) (typed copy)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
211	6-24-50	SA MEMO to File	1	1	
211	6-24-50	SA MEMO to File (copy)	1	1	2
212	6-24-50	PH to HA (teletype)	2	—	Bufile 100-365040
213	6-26-50	AL to NY (Letter)	2	2	
213	6-26-50	AL to NY (Letter) (copy)	2	2	2
214	6-28-50	LA to HA (Letter) (copy)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040
214	6-28-50	LA to HA (Letter)	1	—	Bufile 100-365040

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SAC NEW HAVEN URGENT

ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESPR. FOR INFO NEW HAVEN GOLD HAS BEEN FURNISHING
CONSIDERABLE DATA RE SUBJ INDICATING BROTHMAN'S KNOWLEDGE OF GOLD'S
ACTIVITIES AND POSSIBLE PARTICIPATION OF SUBJ IN ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES.
REINTERVIEW WITH BROTHMAN CONTEMPLATED IN IMMEDIATE FUTURE. GOLD HAS
MENTIONED OBTAINING INFO FROM BROTHMAN IN EARLY FORTYTWO RE BUNA
PROCESS. INVESTIGATION NOW REFLECTS THAT BROTHMAN CLAIMS TO HAVE
DESIGNED BUNA - S SYNTHETIC RUBBER PLANT FOR US RUBBER CO. AT
NAUGATUCK, CONN. IN FORTY AND FORTYONE AND BUNA - S SYNTHETIC RUBBER
PLANT FOR THE DEFENSE PLANTS CORP. FORTYONE AND FORTYTWO. ARTHUR
P. WEBER IN REINTERVIEW JUNE EIGHT LAST STATED THAT IN ABOUT FORTYONE
JOHN H. C. VENDES THE CHIEF ENGINEER, US RUBBER PLANT, NAUGATUCK,
REQUESTED HENDRICK MANUFACTURING CO., NY, BROTHMAN'S AND WEBER'S
EMPLOYER AT THAT TIME, TO DESIGN EQUIPMENT TO BE USED IN SYNTHETIC
RUBBER PLANT. WEBER STATED THAT HE AND BROTHMAN WORKED ON CONTINUOUS
PROCESS AND DESIGNED CERTAIN EQUIPMENT, ETC. THEREAFTER, THEY PRE-
PARED A REPORT ON THEIR FINDINGS AND LATER HENDRICK CO. REJECTED OFFER
BY US GOVT. TO MANUFACTURE EQUIPMENT APPLYING THE CONTINUOUS PROCESS
FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF SYNTHETIC RUBBER. NEW HAVEN REQUESTED TO

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PAGE TWO

CONTACT VENDES, NOW GENERAL MANAGER SYNTHETIC RUBBER PLANT, US RUBBER
NAUGATUCK AND OBTAIN FROM HIM ALL DETAILS RE ABOVE INCLUDING WHETHER
DATA ON BUNA S PROCESS WAS RESTRICTED INFO IN FORTYONE AND FORTYTWO
WFO REQUESTED TO CONTACT DEFENSE PLANT CORP OR EXISTING COUNTERPART
AND OBTAIN SIMILAR INFO. BOTH OFFICES SHOULD MAKE EFFORT TO OBTAIN
COPY OF BROTHMAN'S REPORT IF ON FILE. EXPEDITE AND SUTEL RESULTS.

SCHEIDT

DIRECTOR ADX AND WFO ADVISED

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NY OK FBI NY SS

FBI NEW YORK CITY

6-13-50

10-40 PM DST

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SACS MINNEAPLIS AND MIAMI

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ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESPR. PHOTOS OF ABRAHAM BROTHMAN AND MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ FORWARDED YOUR OFFICE THIS DATE. REQUEST THAT PHOTOS BE DISPLAYED TO INFORMANTS AS REQUESTED IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT AND RESULTS FORWARDED TO THIS OFFICE BY TEL. NY ORIGIN.

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DIRECTOR, WFO, BA, BS, CE, CI, CV, DE, LA, IRI, MP, AND SE ADVISED.

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ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESPIONAGE - R. PHOTOGRAPHS OF ABRAHAM BROTHMAN AND
MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ FORWARDED YOUR OFFICE THIS DATE. REQUEST THAT PHOTOGRAPHS
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SCHEIDT

cc 65-15324

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DIRECTOR AND SACS URGENT

JUN 13 1950

ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESP-R. PHOTOS OF ABRAHAM BROTHMAN AND MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ FORWARDED UR OFFICE THIS DATE. REQUEST THAT PHOTOS BE DISPLAYED TO INFORMANTS AS REQUESTED IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT AND RESULTS FORWARDED TO THIS OFFICE BY TEL. NY ORIGIN.

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CHARLOTTE, CINCINNATI, CLEVELAND, DETROIT, HOUSTON, MIAMI, MINNEAPOLIS, AND SEATTLE ADVISED

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ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESPIONAGE - R. RE PHILADELPHIA TEL NENTH INSTANT
REQUESTING CONTACT DISCONTINUED, BOWEN, W. ANTICIPATED THAT
REINTERVIEW WITH BROTHMAN WILL BE CONDUCTED IN IMMEDIATE FUTURE,
THEREFORE, REQUESTING ABOVE BEAD BE DISCONTINUED. CANCEL.

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FBI NYC 6-14-50 3-04 P DD

SAC OKLAHOMA CITY URGENT

ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESP R. SUBJ IS FORMER ASSOCIATE OF HARRY GOLD AND
ACCORDING TO GOLD-S PRESENT STORY BROTHMAN WAS AWARE OF GOLD-S
ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES AND WAS HIMSELF PROBABLY INVOLVED IN ESPIONAGE.
INVESTIGATION HAS DEVELOPED THAT ON DEC TWENTY, FORTYFIVE, BROTHMAN
MADE A DEPOSIT OF FOUR HUNDRED TWENTYFIVE DOLLARS TO AMERICAN AIRLINES
"CLOSING OUT A TRAVEL PLAN." ON MAY EIGHT FORTYSIX BROTHMAN APPLIED
FOR CREDIT FROM AMERICAN AIRLINES TO EXTEND HIS OVER SE. IF AVAIL-
ABLE, OKLAHOMA CITY SHOULD OBTAIN FROM [REDACTED] TREASURY DEPT,
AMERICAN AIRLINES, TULSA, ALL INFO RE BROTHMAN CONTAINED IN AMERICAN
AIRLINES RECORDS IN PARTICULAR IF AVAILABLE, OBTAIN DATES OF ALL
TRIPS MADE BY HIM AND DESTINATIONS. SUTEL BY ORIGIN. b7d

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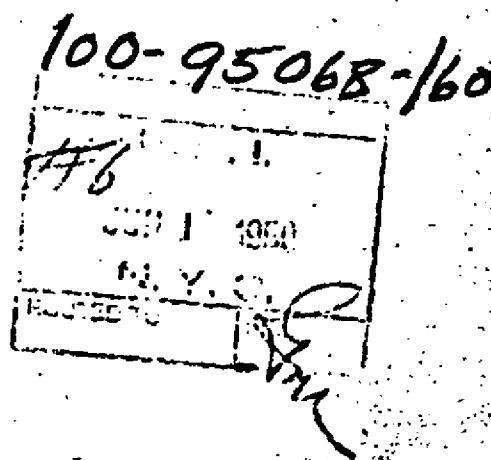
SAC, NEW YORK CITY..... URGENT

ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESP R. REUBEN JUNE FOURTEEN LAST, [REDACTED]
A. A. TREASURY DEPT. TELSA, OKLA. ADVISES ONLY INFORMATION IN
HIS RECORDS REFLECT ACCOUNT WITH A. BROTHMAN ASSOCIATE CANCELLED
IN DECEMBER, NINETEEN FORTYFIVE. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION RE ABOVE
ACCT. AT AMERICAN AIRLINES OFFICE NYC. BY C. b7d

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7-30PM OK FBI LHM REOT



- MR. SCHEIDT
- MR. WHELAN
- MR. STEIN
- MR. COLLIER
- MR. GRANVILLE
- MR. KENNEDY
- MR. LEVVIS
- MR. MARCHESSAULT
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 JUN 17 1950
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New York, N. Y.
6/15/50

Re: ~~FOOTCASE~~

ABRAHAM BROTHMAN
FOOTCASE Esp. R

MR. SCHUBERT
MR. WHIFLAN
MR. STEIN
MR. COLLIER
MR. SPENCER
MR. BENNETT
MR. LEE
MR. JAMES
MR. GILBERT
MR. HARRISON
MR. TOLSON
MR. CLEGG
MR. WATKINS
MR. BROWN
MR. MILLER
MR. ROSS
MR. MURPHY
MR. FLEMING
MR. CONNELLEY
MR. DEAN

At approximately 4:30 P. M., SA T. Scott Miller called from Philadelphia and advised that there had been found in GOLD's possession a little card, approximately 1½" X 2½", with the following notations.

2 "Monday, 10:00 P. M., Northside 27, between 6 and 7 Avenue. (Arrow pointing to 7). His car dark gray Pontiac sedan 2N9088. ABE -- Give regards from Helen and ask him about his wife NAOMI and his baby girl."

GOLD said these instructions were given to him by his Soviet superior SAM, which he followed and first met BROTHMAN. Mr. Miller said we had had this information previously, but that the card was corroboration for this statement of GOLD and might be helpful when BROTHMAN is reinterviewed. GOLD said he thought he met BROTHMAN the night of the LOU NOVA -- LEWIS fight; that figuring backwards, this would have been on a Monday night, 9/29/41. He said they ~~said~~ in the car and listened to the fight. SA7

SA Miller advised that subject BLACK knew BILL SMITH under the name BILL PATTERSON; that his Soviet contact has been the same since 1940 and he was contacted by him as late as three weeks before GOLD was arrested, and his name is BILL. JANE OVAKIMIAN was the individual who recruited him.

WILLIAM H. WHELAN, ASAC

WMW:MFB

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ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESPIONAGE R. REURTEL JUNE THIRTEEN
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ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESPIONAGE R. DETENTION JAIL THUNDERBOLT

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FBI NYC 6-15-50 6-32PM ECT

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ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESP - R. PRESENT PLANS RE BROTHMAN REINTERVIEW BY
NYC ARE AS FOLLOWS. AS SOON AS ALL AVAILABLE DATA RE BROTHMAN HAS BEEN
OBTAINED FROM GOLD AND BLACK IN PHILA AND IF ANY FORTHCOMING FROM
SLACK IN SYRACUSE, ARRANGEMENTS WILL THEN BE MADE FOR BROTHMAN-S
REINTERVIEW. RE MIRIAM BROCKWITZ, IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT HER REINTER-
VIEW NOT BEGIN AT SAME TIME AS REINTERVIEW OF BROTHMAN BUT THAT HER
BEGIN PRIOR TO THE TERMINATION OF BROTHMAN-S FIRST REINTERVIEW.
PRESENT PLANS REPHILANT (C) ABOVE ARE TO CONDUCT THESE INTERVIEWS JUNE
SEVENTEEN INSTANT.

CONCISE

DIRECTOR AND SAC PHILADELPHIA ADVISED

ACK AND HOLD FLB

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100-95068-169

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

100-95068

June 15, 1950

Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
Sunnyside, Long Island

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ABRAHAM BROTHMAN
41-06 42nd Street
Sunnyside, New York

☒ return cards

☐ tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

JFM:JM

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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June 15, 1950

Honorable Joseph A. Doyle *78*
~~Postmaster~~
Long Island City

Dear Sir:

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ABRAHAM BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES
2928 41st Ave.
Long Island City. N.Y.

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☐ tracings

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[Signature]
EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

JRM:JM

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FBI, HOUSTON

6-16-50

1-30 PM CST KH

SAC, NEW YORK

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AF
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESPIONAGE R. RELET NEW YORK TO DIRECTOR, CC TO
HOUSTON AND OTHERS, JUNE THIRTEEN LAST. PHOTOS FORWARDED BY YOUR
OFFICE EXHIBITED TO [REDACTED] AT CORPUS CHRISTI, TEX.
THIS DATE, AND HE ADVISES HE IS NOT ACQUAINTED WITH EITHER OF THE
INDIVIDUALS VIEWED. *b7d*

LORTON

END

OK FBI NYC GAFM

Handwritten: 100-95068-176

6 JUN 16 1950
N.Y.C.

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MR. SCHMIDT
 MR. WHELAN
 MR. STEIN
 MR. COLLIER
 MR. GRANVILLE
 MR. KENNEDY
 MR. LEVINE
 MR. MARCHESSAULT
 MR. SUPERVISOR
 MR. Egan
 MR. LING
 MR. SULLIVAN
 MR. GUY
 MR. ALLEN
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JUN 16 1950

Murphy

New York, New York
June 16, 1950

MEMO

Re: ABRAHAM BROTHMAN
ESPIONAGE - R

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Belmont agreed, and these instructions were given to SA John R. Murphy and SA Robert R. Granville.

WILLIAM M. WHELAN, ASAC

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JUN 16 1950
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New York, New York
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JUN 16

MEMO

June 17, 1950
New York, New York

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FRANK J. SMITH, SA

FJS/JEM

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June 17, 1950
New York, New York

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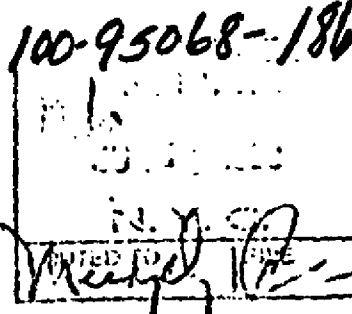
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FRANK J. SMITH, SA

FJS/JEM



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SAC NEW YORK *JS* U R G E N T

ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESPIONAGE DASH R. REURTEL JUNE THIRTEEN.

PHOTOS OF ABRAHAM BROTHMAN AND MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ EXHIBITED

[REDACTED] AND *[REDACTED]* UNABLE TO IDENTIFY EITHER AS
PERSON HE WAS EVER IN CONTACT WITH. *b7d*

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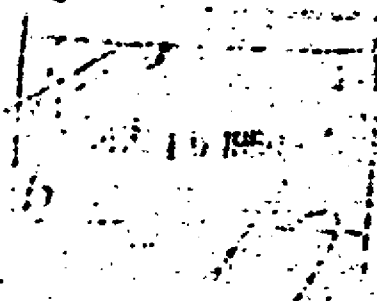
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MR. WOLMAN
 MR. STEIN
 MR. COLLIER
 MR. GARDNER
 MR. KENNEDY
 MR. LEVINE
 MR. ARTHUR
 MR. KUTNER
 MR. HANAN
 MR. BIRD
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 MR. WALSH
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NEW YORK, NEW YORK
JUNE 19, 1950

BUREAU, PHILADELPHIA, NEWARK URGENT

THOMAS L. BLACK, WAS., ESP-R. RE PHILA TEL JUNE EIGHTEEN LAST. REINTERVIEW WITH VERA KANE FAILED TO PRODUCE ANY VERIFICATION OF THE STORIES OF BLACK OR HELLER. VERA KANE DENIED ANY KNOWLEDGE OF THE ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES OF HELLER OR BLACK. KANE SAID SHE DID NOT RECALL HARRY GOLD AT ALL. SHE SAID SHE DID NOT RECALL THAT BLACK DISCUSSED WITH HER ANY OFFER TO GO TO MEXICO IN CONNECTION WITH TROTSKYITE PENETRATION BY THE COMMUNISTS. SHE SAID SHE MIGHT HAVE DONE SOME TYPING FOR BLACK OR HELLER BUT WAS CERTAIN SHE NEVER TYPED ANY WOPCO REPORTS OR ANYTHING LIKE THAT. KANE SAID SHE KEPT DIARIES ALMOST CONTINUOUSLY SINCE THE EARLY NINETEEN THIRTIES. THE DIARIES WERE WRITTEN IN HER OWN PECULIAR AND OBSOLETE STYLE OF SHORTHAND SHE SAID AND FURTHERMORE SHE STATED SHE WOULD BE RELUCTANT TO TURN THEM OVER BUT WOULD SEARCH THROUGH THEM TO REFRESH HER RECOLLECTION CONCERNING HELLER, BLACK, ET AL. KANE WILL BE RECONTACTED RELATIVE TO THESE DIARIES. INTERVIEW TODAY NECESSARILY BRIEF DUE TO KANE'S EMPLOYMENT IN THE LAW OFFICE WHICH SHE SAID REQUIRES ABOUT SIXTEEN HOURS OF HER TIME DAILY. ANITA BARON IDENTIFIED AS SUBJECT OF SM-C CASE NY ORIGIN. BARON WAS BORN APRIL TWENTY ONE, NINETEEN TWENTY ONE, BKLYN, NY, RECEIVED BA DEGREE AT BKLYN COLLEGE NINETEEN FORTY. EMPLOYED JEWISH HOSPITAL FIVE FIVE FIVE PROSPECT PLACE, BKLYN, JULY TWO, NINETEEN FORTY TO DECEMBER THIRTY ONE, NINETEEN FORTY ONE, CHAMBERLAND HOSPITAL, THIRTY NINE AUBURN PLACE, BKLYN JANUARY SIXTEEN TO JULY FIFTEEN, NINETEEN FORTY TWO. EMPLOYED NY STATE PSYCHIATRIC INSTITUTE JULY SIXTEEN, NINETEEN

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FORTY TWO TO MAY ONE, NINETEEN FORTY THREE. BARON EMPLOYED ATLANTIC OIL
 CO., HARRISON, NJ, NINETEEN FORTY FIVE AND LATER AT NOPCO WHERE SHE REMAINED
 UNTIL NINETEEN FORTY EIGHT. BARON IS PRESENTLY RESIDING THREE FIVE EIGHT
 WEST TWENTY NINTH ST, NYC, AND HER MARRIED NAME IS MRS. DICK IMBERMAN. NY
 FILES CONTAIN INFORMATION FROM INFORMANTS INDICATING CP ACTIVITY ON PART
 OF BARON. CONCERNING WM. W. STAPLER, FOLLOWING INFO SET OUT IN REPT OF SA
 PAUL W. HAVILAND AUGUST THIRTY, NINETEEN FORTY ONE AT BALTIMORE IN CASE
 ENTITLED ARMAND IABIS FELDMAN, WAS, ET AL. INVESTIGATION IN NINETEEN FORTY
 ONE AT DUPONT CO., WILMINGTON, DEL. REFLECTED NO CONTACT WITH GAIL OKANJIAN
 BUT THEIR RECORDS REVEALED THAT IN NINETEEN THIRTY EIGHT AN EMPLOYEE OF
 DUPONT, P.K. LAWRENCE, STATED HE HAD BEEN APPROACHED BY AN UNKNOWN INDIVIDUAL
 RELATIVE TO AN OFFER TO WORK IN RUSSIA, AND ALSO WAS OFFERED PAY IF HE WOULD
 FURNISH INFO RE DUPONT PROCESSES. IN AN INTERVIEW WITH LAWRENCE IN NINETEEN
 FORTY ONE HE ADMITTED KNOWING THIS UNKNOWN INDIVIDUAL TO BE WILLIAM W. STAPLER.
 LAWRENCE SHIELDED THE IDENTITY OF STAPLER FROM THE DUPONT CO. APPARENTLY
 BECAUSE HE FEARED HURTING STAPLER'S REPUTATION. STAPLER, AT THE TIME OF THE
 INTERVIEW WITH LAWRENCE IN NINETEEN FORTY, WAS EMPLOYED AT HERCULES POWDER CO.
 EMORY I. KARMAN, SIX FOUR WALL ST, NYC, PROBABLY IDENTICAL WITH EMORY I.
 KARMAN, CPA, NOW LOCATED AT TWO SEVEN WILLIAM ST, NYC. [REDACTED] REPORTS
 KARMAN IS THE ACCOUNTANT FOR FINE ORGANICS, INC. NO RECORD OF KARMAN IN NY
 FILES. NY FILES REFLECT ROBINSON KAHN CO., INC, ONE-ONE ZERO EAST FORTY
 SECOND ST, NYC, AMONG LIST OF COMPANIES WHICH REPLY AND CO. OF HAMBURG, GERMANY

SOUGHT TO DO BUSINESS WITH. LATTER COMPANY SUSPECTED AS COVER FOR GERMAN
 ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES IN US PRIOR TO WAR. AS OF NINETEEN FORTY THREE JOHN
 G. ROBINSON, PRES. AND SEC. AND ABRAM WAGNER PERSONS IN COMPANY WHO HANDLED
 IMPORT AND EXPORT OF CHEMICALS. GYVAUDAN DELAYANNA, INC. IDENTIFIED AS A
 PROMINENT PERFUME MANUFACTURER LOCATED AT THREE THREE ZERO WEST FORTY
 SECOND ST, NYC, TELEPHONE NO. LA-FOUR-SIX FIVE ZERO ZERO. MORRIS HELPPIN,
 THREE THREE ONE CENTRAL PARK WEST, UN-FOUR-SEVEN ONE TWO TWO, LISTED IN
 PHONE DIRECTORY. NY INDICES REFLECT ONE MORRIS HELPRIN, SEVEN TWO NINE
 SEVENTH AVE, NYC, WAS REGISTERED WITH STATE DEPT IN NINETEEN FORTY AS FOREIGN
 AGENT FOR ALEX KORDA, BRITISH FILM PRODUCER. MORRIS HELPRIN, NO ADDRESS
 GIVEN, WAS ON LIST OF OSI PERSONNEL IN NINETEEN FORTY THREE. NO PERTINENT
 INFO LOCATED IN NY FILES CONCERNING DR. EARL WILLIAM FLOODORFF OR J. BYRON
 MC KINNEY. VERA KANE, HOWEVER, PREVIOUSLY DESCRIBED J. BYRON MC KINNEY AS
 A LEFTIST SPY AND LONGSHOREMAN WHOM SHE KNEW IN GREENWICH VILLAGE, NYC,
 PRIOR TO NINETEEN THIRTY AND STATED IT WAS MC KINNEY WHO FIRST INTRODUCED
 HER TO BLACK. SHE RECALLED SEEING A NOTATION IN THE PAPER IN THE EARLY PART
 OF WORLD WAR TWO THAT ONE J. B. MC KINNEY WAS REPORTED AMONG SEAFARERS LOST IN
 THE SINKING OF AN AMERICAN VESSEL AT SEA. MR. MARVIN HENSCHEL, BUYER, 745
 FIFTH AVE, NYC, AND MRS. DABETTE HARRISON HENSCHEL, EMPLOYED ELIZABETH ARDEN,
 FOURTEEN EAST FIFTY FOURTH ST, NYC, WERE INTERVIEWED. THEY FURNISHED SUB-
 STANTIALLY SAME INFO AS FOLLOWS: THEY WERE REFERRED IN AUGUST NINETEEN FORTY
 SEVEN TO BLACK BY MRS. ABIE ALBUS, WHOSE SON EMPLOYED BERG LABORATORIES,

WHO KNEW BLACK, THEN EMPLOYED IN PHILADELPHIA, DESIRED TO GIVE UP APT. HENSCHELS CONTACTED BLACK, PAID BLACK TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR SOME FURNITURE. OCCUPIED APT UNTIL APPROXIMATELY JANUARY FIFTEEN, NINETEEN FORTY NINE. RECALIS HAVING DIFFICULTY CONTACTING BLACK AT TIME THEY DESIRED TO LEAVE. BLACK HAD OCCUPIED APT FROM NINETEEN THIRTY TWO UNTIL THEY TOOK LEASE IN NINETEEN FORTY SEVEN. BLACK RESIDED IN PHILADELPHIA AT MAJESTIC HOTEL AFTER LEAVING NEWARK ADDRESS. BLACK HAD UNLISTED TELEPHONE IN APT WHICH WAS DISCONTINUED WHEN HENSCHELS TOOK OVER. BLACK HAD USUAL ASSORTMENT OF THERMOMETERS, ETC. WHICH A SCIENTIST MIGHT BE EXPECTED TO HAVE. THEY KNEW NOTHING PERTAINING TO ESPIONAGE ACTIVITY. SAW BLACK ONLY ABOUT THREE TIMES DURING RESIDENCE IN APT. COULD RECALL NO ONE ATTEMPTING TO CONTACT HIM AT NEWARK APT. HAD SMALL AMOUNT OF MAIL FOR HIM WHICH THEY RECALL WAS MOSTLY OF A SCIENTIFIC NATURE, SUCH AS PAMPHLETS ON RESEARCH AND INDUSTRIAL MATTERS. MRS. HENSCHEL RECALLS FINDING STRIP OF FILM ABOUT SEVEN OR EIGHT INCHES IN LENGTH IN RETAIL CONTAINER LEFT IN LARGE BUSINESS DESK THEY BOUGHT. ADVISED SHE MAY STILL HAVE FILM AND WILL ATTEMPT TO LOCATE SAME. SEYMOUR KOPPEL PASS, THREE SIX SEVEN MILLER AVE, BKLYN, INTERVIEWED JUNE NINETEEN, NINETEEN FIFTY AT S. RODMAN SONS, JEWELERS, FIVE EIGHT ZERO FIFTH AVENUE, NYC, WHERE HE IS EMPLOYED AS SHIPPING AND OFFICE CLERK. SEYMOUR PASS, AGE TWENTY SIX, STATED HE HAS KNOWN THOMAS L. BLACK SINCE HE, PASS, WAS YOUNG BOY, THAT BLACK IS CLOSE FRIEND OF HIS BROTHER, JACOB PASS, AND FREQUENTLY VISITS PASS HOME IN BKLYN. ACCORDING TO SEYMOUR, BLACK CONTRIBUTED MONEY TO HELP

FOR SPRUCE

JUN 22 1950

PHILADELPHIA 10 FROM NEW YORK

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SAC URGENT

ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, WA, REP-R. URGENT SUBMISSION OF REPORT ON INFORMATION RECENTLY FURNISHED BY GOLD RE SUBJECT. REPORT SHOULD BE WRITTEN IN SUCH A MANNER THAT INFORMATION THEREIN CAN BE DISSEMINATED TO DEPARTMENT, IF NECESSARY.

SCHWARTZ

HLDFLS

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NEW YORK 8 FROM PHILA
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ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, U.S., NOT - 1. JUNE TWENTYTHREE LAST.
BALANCE OF MATERIAL. SECURED IN SEARCH OF HARRY GOLD'S RESIDENCE
PERTAINING TO HIS ASSOCIATION WITH BROTHMAN U.S. HAVE BEEN
REVIEWED BY GOLD ONE JUNE TWENTYSIX INST. REPORT WILL BE SUB-
MITTED SHORTLY THEREAFTER.

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 BALANCE OF MATERIAL SECURED IN SEARCH OF HARRY GOLD - 2 RESIDENCE
 PERTAINING TO HIS ASSOCIATION WITH BROTHMAN WILL HAVE BEEN
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ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESP - R. CARD FOUND IN POSSESSION OF HARRY GOLD BEARING NOTATION, "HIS CAR, DARK GRAY PONTIAC SEDAN, TWO N NINE ZERO EIGHT EIGHT. ABE..GIVE REGARDS FROM HELEN AND ASK HIM ABOUT HIS WIFE NAOMI AND HIS BABY GIRL". GOLD ADVISED THIS CARD CONTAINED DIRECTIONS FOR HIS FIRST MEETING WITH BROTHMAN IN NINETEEN FORTY ONE. MOTOR VEHICLE RECORDS OF NY PERTAINING TO NINETEEN FORTY ONE HAVE BEEN DESTROYED. ALBANY REQUESTED TO CHECK RECORDS OF SUSPENSION AND REVOCATION DIVISION OF STATE MOTOR VEHICLE RECORDS FOR POSSIBLE ACCIDENT OF BROTHMAN IN NINETEEN FORTY ONE WHICH WOULD REVOKE HIS LICENSE NUMBER, ALSO ANY OTHER SOURCES WITH MIGHT VERIFY ABOVE LICENSE NUMBER AS BROTHMAN-S IN NINETEEN FORTY ONE.

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New York, New York

June 24, 1950

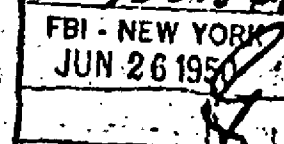
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M.C. New York

BERNARD OSGOOD KOOPMAN - RA - 15907
AKAS

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cc: Philadelphia
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116-40987

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Letter to Director
NY 116-40997

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